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Honorable Commissioner of Patents
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is a Request for filing a continuation X divisional application under 37 CFR 1.60 of pending prior application Serial No. 07/551,353 filed on July 12, 1990 by Mary R. Flack, Richard Knazek, and Marcus Reidenberg

for GOSSYPOL ACETIC ACID FOR THE TREATMENT OF CANCER.

1. X Enclosed is a true copy of the complete prior above-identified application as filed, consisting of specification, claims, declaration and drawings (if applicable).
2. X The filing fee has been calculated as follows:

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		LARGE ENTITY		SMALL ENTITY	
	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA	RATE	Fee	Rate
BASIC FEE				\$730.00	\$365.00
TOTAL CLAIMS	7 - 20 =	0	x 22 = \$ 0		x 11 = \$ 0
INDEPNT. CLAIMS	3 - 3 =	0	x 76 = \$ 0		x 38 = \$ 0
— MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS PRESENTED				+ \$240.00	+ \$120.00
		TOTAL		\$730.00	

3. A check in the amount of \$730.00 to cover the filing fee and recording fee (if applicable) is enclosed.

4. Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$. A triplicate copy of this request is enclosed.

5. If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448.

Any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16

Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17

6. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line thereof the following:

--This application is a continuation divisional of copending application Serial No. 07/551,353, filed on July 12, 1990, now U.S. Pat. 5,385,936, the entire contents of which are hereby incorporated by reference.--

7. Transfer the drawings from the prior application to this application and abandon said prior application as of the filing date accorded this application. A duplicate copy of this request is enclosed for filing in the prior application file.

8. Enclosed is/are two sheet(s) of formal drawings.

9. A verified statement claiming small entity status was filed in prior application Serial No. _____ on _____. See attached copy of verified statement claiming small entity.

10. The prior application is assigned to the Government of the US of A as represented by the Secretary of the Department of Health & Human Services

11. A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.

12a. Priority of Application Serial No(s). _____ filed in _____ on _____ is/are claimed under 35 USC 119. See attached copy of the Letter claiming priority filed in the prior application on _____.

12b. Priority of International Appln. _____ filed on _____ under the Patent Cooperation Treaty and _____ Application No. _____ filed in _____ on _____ under 35 USC 119 are hereby reclaimed.

13. An Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449 form(s) are attached hereto for the Examiner's consideration.

14. The Power of Attorney in the prior application is to RAYMOND C. STEWART (Reg. No. 21,066), JOSEPH A. KOLASCH (Reg. No. 22,463), TERRELL C. BIRCH (Reg. No. 19,382), ANTHONY L. BIRCH (Reg. No. 26,122) and/or JAMES M. SLATTERY (Reg. No. 28,380) all members of the law firm of BIRCH, STEWART, KOLASCH & BIRCH, with full power of substitution and revocation to prosecute the application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

The Power appears in the original papers in the prior application.

Since the Power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the Power in the prior application is enclosed.

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16. Also enclosed herewith is the following:

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